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In re Application of John Noto *et al.*

Serial No.: 09/775,970

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Examiner:

For: **An Etched Array of Liquid Crystal Fabry-Perot Etalons
Configured As An Optical Multiplexer**

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find the following:

1. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application;
2. Declaration and power of attorney;
3. One check in the amount of \$65.00 for missing parts.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-1579. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 18-1579 for any future fees connected in any way to this application. Two copies of this letter are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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